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In re Appln. of: Tatsuji Nagaoka et al.

Appln. No.: 10/088,304

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For: PROGRAM PROVIDING

SYSTEM

Attorney Docket No: 9683/109

Examiner: Fred H. Peng

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated October 18, 2006, Applicant has timely filed this Amendment. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw the objections and rejections to this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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